NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of Dakota Access LLC for a Certificate of Site Compatibility and Route Permit for the Dakota Access Pipeline Project in Mountrail, Williams, McKenzie, Dunn, Mercer, Morton and Emmons Counties, North Dakota Case No. PU-I 4-842

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE



I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the PETITION TO INTERVENE OF

EDWARD CLIVE AND PATRICIA G. PELTON and AFFIDAVIT OF EDWARD CLIVE

AND PATRICIA G. PELTON were on May 14, 2015, filed with the North Dakota Public

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Dated this 14th day of May, 2015.

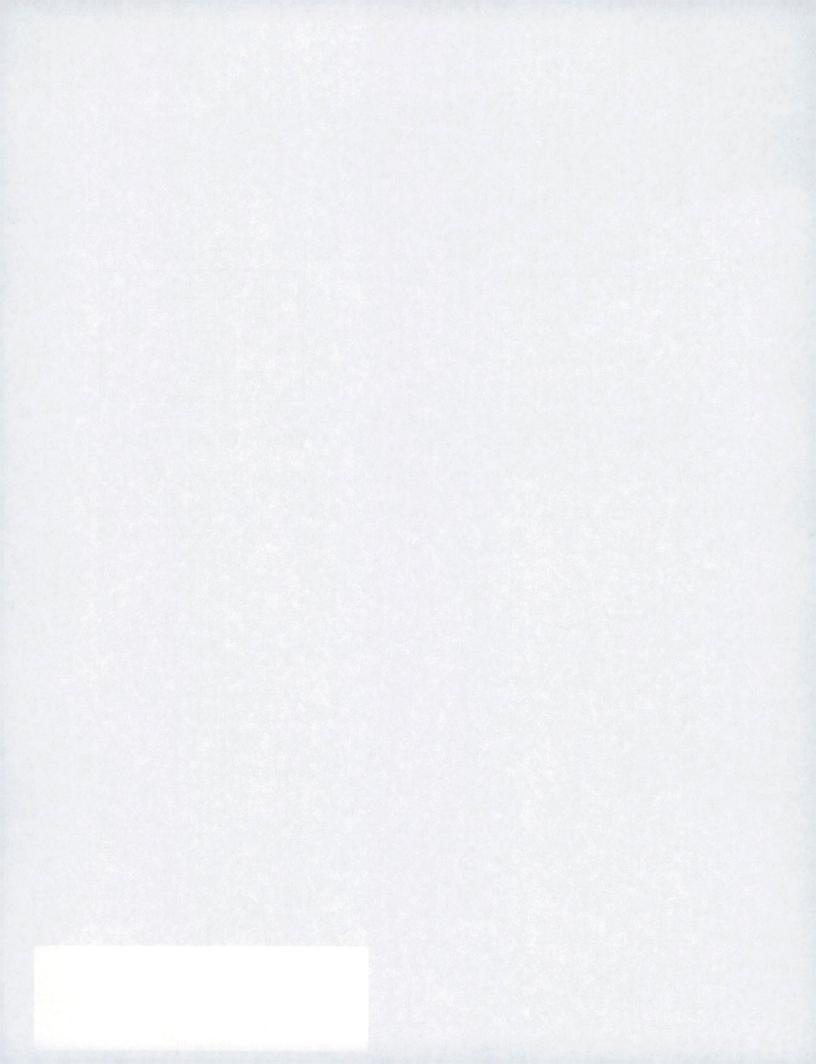
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PETITION TO INTERVENE OF EDWARD CLIVE AND PATRICIA G. PELTON

Pursuant to N.D.A.C. § 69-02-02-05, Edward Clive and Patricia G. Pelton, by and through their attorneys Derrick Braaten and Matt Kelly (collectively, "Petitioners"), hereby petition to intervene in the above-captioned proceedings. In support of this petition, Petitioners state and allege as follows:

- 1. Edward and Patricia Pelton live at 116 Cottonwood Drive, Mesquite, NV 89027. Edward and Patricia received documents from Dakota Access, LLC and offers for an easement over their land for the Dakota Access Pipeline Project, and have also received repeated requests for survey permission on their property.
- 2. Edward and Patricia's property will be crossed by the Dakota Access Pipeline Project, and they are concerned about impacts to their land. The Peltons have not yet been able to reach an agreement with Dakota Access regarding an easement on their property, and

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feel it is necessary to protect their interests by ensuring that they are represented in these proceedings.

- 3. Petitioners have a direct and substantial interest in these proceedings, as well as legal property rights which may be substantially affected by the ND Public Service Commission's findings and conclusions in this matter. Petitioners are intimately familiar with the land they own and rent, and can provide the PSC with specific information related to its routing determination in this proceeding, with respect to their individual lands.
- 4. Petitioners are not adequately represented by existing parties, and Petitioners' intervention would not unduly broaden the issues or delay the proceedings, particularly given the early nature of the proceedings.
- 5. Petitioners are not necessarily in support of or opposed to the relief sought by the applicant in this proceeding, but intend to oppose such relief if it allows Dakota Access to cross the lands they own and rent in a manner that will cause unnecessary or unreasonable damage to the land and to their farming operations.

Dated this 14th day of May, 2015.

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AFFIDAVIT OF EDWARD CLIVE PELTON AND PATRICIA G. PELTON

STATE OF NEVADA COUNTY OF CLARK

Edward Clive and Patricia G. Pelton, husband and wife, being duly sworn, state under oath as follows:

1. We live at 116 Cottonwood Drive, Mesquite, NV 89027.

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- We have received documents from Dakota Access, LLC and offers for an easement over our land for the Dakota Access Pipeline Project, and have also received repeated requests for survey permission on our property.
- 3. Our property will be crossed by the Dakota Access Pipeline Project, and we are concerned about impacts to our land. We have not yet been able to reach an agreement with Dakota Access regarding an easement on our property, and feel it is necessary to protect our interests by ensuring that they are represented in these proceedings.

Dated this $\cancel{14}$ day of April, 2015.

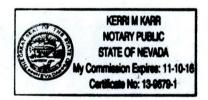
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Dated this <u>144</u> day of April, 2015.

Patricia G. Pelton

STATE OF NEVADA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF CLARK)

On this $\underline{14}^{h}$ day of April, 2015, before me personally appeared Edward Clive Pelton and Patricia G. Pelton, husband and wife, and known to me to be the same persons who are described in and who executed the within document, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.



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